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| <i>Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary</i> | | Application No. 09/646,568 Examiner N. M. Minnifield | Applicant(s) HERMON-TAYLOR ET AL. Art Unit 1645 |
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Date of Interview: 15 February 2011

Type of Interview:

☒ Telephonic
☐ Video Conference
☐ Personal (Copy given to: ☐ Applicant ☐ Applicant's representative)

Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ Yes ☒ No
 If Yes, provide a brief description: _____

Status of Application: _____

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Part I.

Rejection(s) discussed:
none

Claims discussed:
none

Prior art documents discussed:
none

Part II.

SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:
See Continuation Sheet

Part III.

☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.
☒ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.

/N. M. Minnifield/
 Primary Examiner, Art Unit 1645

(Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature – if appropriate)

Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was discussed: Applicant contacted the Examiner inquiring about the status of this application and indicated that there were problems with some of the scanned documents. Examiner has reviewed the complete file and determined that a foreign reference (WO 97/23624) has been scanned as the application (i.e. claims, specification, sequence listing, drawing). The actual parts of the application (specification, claims, sequence listing, preliminary amendment to the claims) are in one document labeled as a Miscellaneous Incoming Letter dated 11/9/00. Scanning Customer Services has been e-mailed and request made to make the appropriate corrections in the system. Applicant should check Private Pair later in the week for corrected application. Examiner indicated that as soon as this is resolved, examination of this application would begin. .